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Provisional calendar of conferences and meetings for 2008 and 2009 in the economic, social and related fields

Note by the Secretariat

Summary

In the present note, the Economic and Social Council is invited to approve the calendar of conferences and meetings for 2008 and 2009 in the economic, social and related fields. Information on meetings of related bodies and conferences and meetings of governing bodies of specialized agencies and the International Atomic Energy Agency is also provided. The attention of the Council is drawn to the relevant provisions of General Assembly resolutions 45/264, 46/235, 50/227 and 61/16 on the restructuring and revitalization of the United Nations in the economic, social and related fields, which have been taken into account in the preparation of the calendar.

The Council is invited to consider further the biennialization of the sessions of its subsidiary bodies, in accordance with paragraph 2 (f) (ii) of its resolution 1988/77 and General Assembly resolution 50/206 A.

Attention is drawn to Council decision 1988/103, in which the Council decided to invite the Committee on Conferences to review the Council's draft calendar of conferences and meetings and submit, as appropriate, its recommendations thereon to the Council.

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1. The provisional calendar of conferences and meetings in the economic, social and related fields for 2008 and 2009, contained in the annex to the present document, has been prepared in accordance with the relevant General Assembly resolutions, in particular resolutions 37/14 C, 39/68 B and D, 40/243, 41/177, 41/213, 42/207 B, 45/264, 46/235 50/227, 59/145 and 61/16 and the relevant decisions and resolutions of the Economic and Social Council. Attention is drawn to the following decisions of the Council and the Assembly:

(a) That the Council should hold an organizational session not to exceed four days' duration in early February and a resumed organizational session at the end of April for one or two days, and that the Council should hold one substantive session of four weeks to take place in alternate years in New York and Geneva in July (Assembly resolutions 45/264 and 50/227);

(b) That the Council, as a Charter body, is entitled to convene meetings as and when needed, with full substantive support and conference services, and that the Council, beginning with its 2007 session, is entitled to convene additional meetings of up to two weeks in order to facilitate the fulfilment of its newly assigned responsibilities for organizing the annual ministerial reviews and the Development Cooperation Forum and to hold ad hoc meetings, in order to effectively fulfil its mandate under the Charter (General Assembly resolution 61/16);

(c) That all meetings of subsidiary and associated organs should conform to the Council's schedule of meetings and not vice versa (decision adopted at the Council's 1837th meeting, on 28 July 1972, at the fifty-third session);

(d) That the Secretary-General should ensure that meetings of the subsidiary bodies of the Council end at least eight weeks before the session of the Council at which their reports were to be considered (Council resolutions 1982/50, para. 1 (l), and 1988/77, para. 2 (f) (i));

(e) That the subsidiary bodies of the Council, with the exception of the regional commissions, may not create either standing or ad hoc intersessional subsidiary bodies without prior approval of the Council (rule 24, para. 2, of the rules of procedure of the Council);

(f) That the regular sessions of the Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific, the Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean, the Economic Commission for Africa and the Economic and Social Commission for Western Asia and meetings of their subsidiary bodies may be held away from their headquarters when the commission concerned so decides, subject, in the case of regular sessions of the commissions, to the approval of the Council and the Assembly (Assembly resolution 40/243, sect. I, para. 4 (f));

(g) To adopt, on a regular basis, a biennial cycle of meetings that would correspond to the programme budget cycle, for better administrative control (Council decision 281 (LXIII), para. (b));

(h) That (i) the regular sessions of the functional commissions and standing committees of the Council should normally have a duration of not more than eight working days; and (ii) once the calendar of meetings had been adopted by the Council, no additional meetings involving departures from the biennial cycle of meetings would be authorized during the biennium (Council decision 1979/81, paras. (b) to (d), and Assembly resolution 34/50) and that the waiver to the

headquarters rule contained in Assembly resolution 40/243 would be discontinued in the case of the functional commissions (Assembly resolution 49/221 A);

(i) That, in the future, there should be an intervening period of at least two weeks after the closing of the sessions of relevant intergovernmental bodies and the beginning of the session of the Commission on Sustainable Development, in accordance with the multi-year programme of work of the Commission, and that such intergovernmental bodies and the Commission are encouraged to closely coordinate meeting dates and programmes of work so as to avoid overlap between sessions.

2. The Council's attention is drawn to the decision taken by the Committee on Conferences at its 154th meeting, on 11 March 1981, that, in the future, requests for intersessional departures from the calendar of conferences should only be submitted to the Committee for its consideration if accompanied by a presentation of detailed substantive arguments supporting a proposed change in or an addition to the calendar. The Committee also decided to request the Secretariat to inform the Committee, as far in advance as possible, of the need for a postponement of sessions of United Nations bodies, together with a presentation of the substantive reasons necessitating a delay.

3. The Council may recall that in its decision 1992/214 of 7 February 1992, it decided to grant authority to its Bureau to approve intersessional departures from its approved calendar of conferences and meetings in respect of its subsidiary bodies when the Council was not in session and after consultation with the Committee on Conferences.

4. The Council's attention is drawn to Council decision 1988/103, in which the Council decided to invite the Committee on Conferences to review the Council's draft biennial calendar of conferences and meetings, beginning with the calendar for 1990-1991, and submit, as appropriate, its recommendations thereon to the Council. Such recommendations as the Committee on Conferences may have will be placed before the Council.

5. The Council may recall that in paragraph 2 (f) (ii) of its resolution 1988/77, it decided to further consider the biennialization of the sessions of its subsidiary bodies. As approved by the Council in its resolution 2006/49, the United Nations Forum on Forests has biennialized its meeting schedules starting from 2007. The other subsidiary bodies of the Council that meet biennially are the Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean, Economic and Social Commission for Western Asia, United Nations Group of Experts on Geographical Names and Committee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods and on the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals.

6. The Council may wish to take the opportunity of its review of the provisional calendar to consider further the question of the biennialization of its subsidiary bodies in the context of its review of the mandates, composition, functions and working methods of its functional commissions and expert groups and bodies (see Council resolution 1996/41 and General Assembly resolution 50/227).

7. The Council may wish to recall that the Commission on Human Rights which was a functional commission of the Council has been replaced by the Human Rights Council which is a subsidiary organ of the General Assembly (Assembly resolution 60/251).

8. The Council's attention is drawn to Human Rights Council decision 1/102, whereby the Human Rights Council decided to extend exceptionally for one year, subject to the review to be undertaken by the Human Rights Council in conformity with General Assembly resolution 60/251, the mandates and the mandate holders of all the special procedures of the Commission on Human Rights, the Subcommission on the Promotion and Protection of Human Rights and the procedure established in accordance with Council resolution 1503 (XLVIII). In the course of the review, the mandates of the following subsidiary bodies of the Human Rights Council have been renewed:

- Open-ended working group on an optional protocol to the International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights (mandate renewed by resolution 1/3 of the Human Rights Council for a period of two years).
- Intergovernmental working group on the effective implementation of the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action (mandate renewed by resolution 1/5 of the Human Rights Council for a period of three years).
- Working group on the right to development (mandate renewed by resolution 4/4 of the Human Rights Council for a period of two years).
- High-level task force on the implementation of the right to development (mandate renewed by resolution 4/4 of the Human Rights Council for a period of two years).

9. The Council may wish to note that the former Secretary-General, in his letter to the Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, dated 11 October 2006, informed the Committee of his conclusion that the common objective would be best served by the United Nations if responsibility for supporting the Committee were to be transferred to the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights in Geneva. The Committee, in its letter to the current Secretary-General, dated 2 February 2007, recommended that the proposed change in servicing arrangements be implemented in 2008.

10. The Council may recall that the Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women used to meet twice a year and that the General Assembly, in its resolution 60/230, authorized the Committee to hold three annual sessions of three weeks each, with a one-week pre-sessional working group for each session, effective for 2006 and 2007 as a temporary measure. The Committee anticipates that it will continue to hold three annual sessions in both 2008 and 2009, subject to the renewal of its current mandate by the Assembly.

11. The Council may wish to note that in accordance with article 20, paragraph 2, of the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women and part one, rule 5, of the rules of procedure of the Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, the meetings of the Committee shall normally be held at United Nations Headquarters or at any other convenient place as determined by the Committee. As the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights, which will be the new substantive secretariat of the Committee, is in Geneva, the meetings of the Committee, its pre-sessional working group and the working group on communications under the optional protocol to the Convention will normally be held in Geneva starting from 2008, although the Committee has emphasized the importance of holding one of its annual sessions in New York. The Meeting of State Parties to the Convention on the

Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women will continue to be held in New York.

12. The Council may wish to note also that the General Assembly has endorsed the report of the Committee against Torture, in which the Committee decided to meet, as at its thirty-ninth session, for three weeks, two times a year, in May and in November respectively, without being preceded each time by a one-week session of the pre-sessional working group (Assembly resolution 61/153).

13. In the preparation of the provisional calendar, due regard has been taken of General Assembly resolution 53/208 A, in particular paragraph 11, whereby it was decided that United Nations bodies should be invited to avoid holding meetings on Orthodox Good Friday and that this arrangement should be taken into account when drafting future calendars and meetings. For the next biennium, Orthodox Good Friday occurs on 25 April 2008 and on 17 April in 2009.

Annex

Provisional calendar of conferences and meetings for 2008 and 2009 in the economic, social and related fields and of the principal organs of the specialized agencies and the International Atomic Energy Agency

Explanatory notes

The following abbreviations are used in the present annex:

In the column headed "Organ"

ECA	Economic Commission for Africa
ECE	Economic Commission for Europe
ECLAC	Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean
ESCAP	Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific
ESCWA	Economic and Social Commission for Western Asia
FAO	Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations
IAEA	International Atomic Energy Agency
ICAO	International Civil Aviation Organization
ICSC	International Civil Service Commission
IFAD	International Fund for Agricultural Development
ILO	International Labour Organization
IMF	International Monetary Fund
IMO	International Maritime Organization
ITU	International Telecommunication Union
UNCCD	United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification
UNCTAD	United Nations Conference on Trade and Development
UNDP	United Nations Development Programme
UNEP	United Nations Environment Programme
UNESCO	United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization
UNFCCC	United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change
UNFPA	United Nations Population Fund
UNHCR	Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees
UNICEF	United Nations Children's Fund
UNIDO	United Nations Industrial Development Organization

UNITAR	United Nations Institute for Training and Research
UNU	United Nations University
UNWTO	United Nations World Tourism Organization
UPU	Universal Postal Union
WFP	World Food Programme
WHO	World Health Organization
WIPO	World Intellectual Property Organization
WMO	World Meteorological Organization

In the column headed "Membership"

G	Governments
E	Experts
ST	Secretariat or secretariats

In the column headed "Servicing"

I	Interpretation
T	Translation
PV	Verbatim records
SR	Summary records
A	Arabic
C	Chinese
E	English
F	French
R	Russian
S	Spanish

A. Provisional calendar of conferences and meetings for 2008 in the economic, social and related fields

(as at May 2007)

	Organ	Dates (2008)	Location	Membership	Servicing[a]			Periodicity
1.	Economic and Social Council, election of Bureau [Charter]	14 January	New York	54 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
2.	Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, fortieth session [General Assembly resolution 34/180][b]	14 January-1 February	Geneva	23 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
3.	Committee on the Rights of the Child, forty-seventh session [General Assembly resolutions 44/25, 47/112 and 49/211][b]	14 January-1 February	Geneva	18 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Three sessions per year
4.	States Parties to the International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination, twenty-second meeting [General Assembly resolution 2106 (XX)][b]	17 January	New York	155 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session every two years
5.	UNDP and UNFPA, Executive Board, first regular session [General Assembly resolutions 2029 (XX) and 48/162]	21-24 January	New York	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
6.	Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations, regular session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 3 (II) and 1296 (XLIV) and decisions 1995/304 and 1997/297]	21-30 January	New York	19 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
7.	Joint Meeting of the Executive Boards of UNDP/UNFPA, UNICEF and WFP [General Assembly resolution 52/12 B]	25 and 28 January	New York	36 G/36 G/36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
8.	Conference of the Parties to the United Nations Convention against Corruption, second session [General Assembly resolution 58/4][b]	28 January-1 February	Indonesia	60 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year and biennially after the second session
9.	UNICEF, Executive Board, first regular session [General Assembly resolutions 48/162 and 57 (I)]	29 January-1 February	New York	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
10.	Human Rights Council, high-level task force on the implementation of the right to development, fourth session [General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council resolution 1/4]	January (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
11.	UNCTAD, preparatory committee, twelfth session [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167][c]	January (2 weeks)	Geneva	192 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	

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12.	UNCTAD, Commission on Enterprise, Business Facilitation and Development, twelfth session [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167][c]	January (2 days)	Geneva	[d]	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
13.	Consultative Committee on the United Nations Development Fund for Women, forty-eighth session [General Assembly resolutions 31/133 and 39/125]	January	New York	5 G	—	—	—	One session per year
14.	Human Rights Council, working group of experts on people of African descent, seventh session [Economic and Social Council decision 2002/270 and General Assembly resolution 60/251][c]	January/February (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
15.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on Situations [Economic and Social Council resolution 1990/41 and General Assembly resolution 60/251][c]	January/February (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (EFRS)	T	—	One session per year
16.	Committee on the Rights of the Child, pre-sessional working group, forty-eighth session [General Assembly resolutions 44/25, 47/112 and 49/211][b]	4-8 February	Geneva	18 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Three sessions per year
17.	Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, Working Group on Communications under the Optional Protocol to the Convention [General Assembly resolution 55/70][b]	4-8 February	Geneva	5 E	I (EFS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
18.	Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, pre-sessional working group [General Assembly resolutions 45/124 and 47/94][b]	4-8 February	Geneva	4 E	I (EFS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
19.	International Narcotics Control Board, ninety-first session [Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs of 1961, article 11][b]	4-8 February	Vienna	13 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two or three sessions per year
20.	WFP, Executive Board, first regular session [Economic and Social Council decision 1995/227 and General Assembly resolution 50/8][f]	4-8 February	Rome	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
21.	Economic and Social Council, organizational session [Charter]	5-8 February	New York	54 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
22.	Commission for Social Development, forty-sixth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 10 (II), 1139 (XLI) and 1996/7]	6-15 February	New York	46 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
23.	UNEP, Global Ministerial Environment Forum, tenth special session [General Assembly resolutions 2997 (XXVII) and 42/185]	20-22 February	Monaco	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session every two years

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24.	Commission on the Status of Women, fifty-second session [Economic and Social Council decision 1999/257]	25 February-7 March	New York	45 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
25.	Statistical Commission, thirty-ninth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1999/8]	26-29 February	New York	24 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
26.	UNCTAD, preparatory committee, twelfth session [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167][c]	February (3 weeks)	Geneva	192 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
27.	United Nations Voluntary Trust Fund on Contemporary Forms of Slavery, Board of Trustees, thirteenth session [General Assembly resolution 46/122][c]	February (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (EFS)	T	—	One session per year
28.	Committee against Torture, Subcommittee on Prevention of Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment, fourth session [Part I, article 2 of the Optional Protocol to the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment and report of the Human Rights Council (A/61/53)][b]	February (1 week)	Geneva	10 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Three sessions per year
29.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on the Use of Mercenaries, fourth session [Economic and Social Council decision 2005/255 and General Assembly resolution 60/251][c]	February (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
30.	UNCTAD, Commission on Investment, Technology and Related Financial Issues, twelfth session [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167][c]	February (2 days)	Geneva	[d]	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
31.	UNCTAD, Commission on Trade in Goods and Services, and Commodities, twelfth session [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167][c]	February (2 days)	Geneva	[d]	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
32.	Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination, seventy-second session [General Assembly resolution 2106 A (XX)][b]	February/March (3 weeks)	Geneva	18 E	I (CEFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
33.	Human Rights Council, Intergovernmental Working Group on the effective implementation of the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action, sixth session [General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council resolution 1/5]	February/March (2 weeks)	Geneva	47 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
34.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on the Right to Development, ninth session [General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council resolution 1/4]	February/March (1 week)	Geneva	47 G	I (ACEFRS)	T		

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35.	United Nations Voluntary Fund for Indigenous Populations, Board of Trustees, twenty-first session [General Assembly resolution 40/131][c]	February/ March (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (EFRS)	T	—	One session per year
36.	Human Rights Committee, Working Group on Communications, ninety-second session [General Assembly resolution 2200 A (XXI)][b]	10-14 March	New York	9 E	I (EFRS)	T	—	Three sessions per year
37.	Commission on Narcotic Drugs, fifty-first session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 9 (I) and 1991/39]	10-20 March	Vienna	*53 G*	I (ACEFRS)	*T*	—	One session per year
38.	Committee of the Whole of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs [Economic and Social Council resolution 1991/39]	10-20 March (4 days)	Vienna	53 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
39.	Committee for Development Policy, tenth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1998/46]	17-20 March	New York	24 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
40.	UNCTAD, Trade and Development Board, twenty-fourth special session [General Assembly resolution 1995 (XIX) and UNCTAD resolution 114 (V)][c]	17-20 March	Geneva	*148 G*	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
41.	Human Rights Committee, ninety-second session [General Assembly resolution 2200 A (XXI)][b]	17 March-4 April	New York	18 E	I (AEFRS)	T	SR	Three sessions per year
42.	UNCTAD, preparatory committee, twelfth session [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167][c]	March (2 weeks)	Geneva	192 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
43.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on Enforced and Involuntary Disappearances, eighty-fourth session [Economic and Social Council decision 2004/260 and General Assembly resolution 60/251][c]	March (1 week)	Geneva	*5 E*	I (AEFS)	*T*	—	
44.	Committee of Permanent Representatives to UN-Habitat, twenty-eighth meeting [General Assembly resolution 56/206][c]	March	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Four meetings per year
45.	UNEP, Committee of Permanent Representatives, one hundred and second meeting [Governing Council decision 13/2]	March	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Four meetings per year
46.	ECLAC, thirty-second session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 106 (VI) and 2004/47 and decision 1985/188]	March	Santo Domingo[g]	42 G	I (EFS)	T	—	One session every two years
47.	Human Rights Council, eighth session [General Assembly resolution 60/251][c]	March/April (3-4 weeks)	Geneva	47 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
48.	Committee for the United Nations Population Award [General Assembly resolution 36/201][c]	March/April (2 days)	New York	10 G	I (EFS)	T		One session per year
49.	ECE, sixty-third session [Economic and Social Council resolution 36 (IV)]	March/April	Geneva	55 G	I (EFR)	T	—	One session per year

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50.	ECA, Conference of African Ministers of Finance, Planning and Economic Development, forty-first session of the Commission [Economic and Social Council resolution 671 (XXV)]	March/April	Addis Ababa	53 G	I (AEF)	T	—	One session per year
51.	ECA, Committee of Experts of the Conference of African Ministers of Finance, Planning and Economic Development, twenty-seventh meeting [Economic and Social Council resolution 671 (XXV)]	March/April	Addis Ababa	53 G	I (AEF)	T	—	One session per year
52.	Commission on Population and Development, forty-first session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 150 (VII), 87 (LVII) and 1995/55]	7-11 April	New York	47 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
53.	Special high-level meetings of the Economic and Social Council with the Bretton Woods institutions, the World Trade Organization and UNCTAD [General Assembly resolutions 50/227 and 61/16 and Economic and Social Council decision 2005/211]	14 April	New York	54 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR[b]	
54.	Committee of Experts on Public Administration, seventh session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 2001/45 and 2003/60]	14-18 April	New York	24 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
55.	Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice, seventeenth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1992/1]	14-25 April[d]	Vienna	40 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
56.	Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice, parallel meetings for informal consultations and working groups [Economic and Social Council decision 1997/232]	14-25 April[d] (12 meetings)	Vienna	40 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
57.	UNCTAD, twelfth session [General Assembly resolution 60/184][c]	20-25 April[d]	Accra	192 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session every four years
58.	Economic and Social Council, resumed organizational session [Charter]	29-30 April	New York	54 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
59.	Committee on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families, eighth session [General Assembly resolution 45/158][b]	April[f] (1 week)	Geneva	10 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
60.	UNITAR, Board of Trustees, forty-sixth session [General Assembly resolutions 1934 (XVIII) and 47/227][e]	April[f] (3 days)	Geneva	28 E	I (AEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
61.	ESCWA, Preparatory Committee [Economic and Social Council resolution 1994/26]	April[f]	Beirut	13 G	I (AEF)	T	—	One session every two years

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62.	Committee against Torture, fortieth session [General Assembly resolution 39/46 A][b]	April/May[1] (3 weeks)	Geneva	10 E	I (EFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
63.	Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, fortieth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1982/33, 1985/17 and 1995/39]	April/May[1] (3 weeks)	Geneva	18 E	I (AEFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
64.	ESCAP, sixty-fourth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 37 (IV), 69 (V) and 723 B (XXVIII)]	April/May[1]	Bangkok	*53 G*	I (CEFR)	T	—	One session per year
65.	United Nations System Chief Executives Board for Coordination, first regular session [Economic and Social Council decision 2001/321]	April/May[1]	To be determined	26 ST	I (EF)	T	—	Two sessions per year
66.	Human Rights Council, working group on arbitrary detention, fifty-first session [General Assembly resolution 60/251][c]	5-9 May	Geneva	5 E	I (EFS)	T	—	
67.	Commission on Sustainable Development, sixteenth session [Economic and Social Council decisions 1993/207 and 2005/228]	5-20 May	New York	53 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
68.	Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues [Economic and Social Council resolution 2000/22]	12-23 May	New York	*16 E*	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
69.	International Narcotics Control Board, ninety-second session [Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs of 1961, article 11][b]	19-30 May	Vienna	13 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two or three sessions per year
70.	Committee on the Rights of the Child, forty-eighth session [General Assembly resolutions 44/25, 47/112 and 49/211][b]	19 May-6 June	Geneva	18 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Three sessions per year
71.	INSTRAW, Executive Board, fifth session [General Assembly resolution 59/260 and Economic and Social Council resolution 2003/57][f]	22 May	New York	10 E	I (EFS)	T	—	One session per year
72.	UNICEF, Executive Board, annual session [General Assembly resolutions 57 (I) and 48/162]	27-30 May	New York	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
73.	United Nations Voluntary Fund for Victims of Torture, Board of Trustees, twenty-seventh session [General Assembly resolution 36/151][c]	May (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (EFS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
74.	Voluntary Fund for Technical Cooperation in the Field of Human Rights, Board of Trustees, twenty-eighth session [Economic and Social Council decision 1993/283]	May (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (EF)	T	—	Two sessions per year

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75.	Commission on Science and Technology for Development, eleventh session [General Assembly resolution 46/235 and Economic and Social Council resolutions 2002/37 and 2006/46 and decision 2003/291]	May (1 week)	Geneva	43 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
76.	Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, pre-sessional working group, forty-first session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1982/33, 1985/17 and 1995/39]	May (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (EFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
77.	Committee for Programme and Coordination, organizational session [Economic and Social Council resolution 2008 (LX) and General Assembly resolution 31/93]	May (1 day)	New York	34 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
78.	ESCWA, twenty-fifth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1818 (LV), 2089 (LXIII) and 1994/26]	May	Beirut	13 G	I (AEF)	T	—	One session every two years
79.	UNCTAD, Working Party on the medium-term plan and the programme budget, fiftieth session [UNCTAD resolution 114 (V) and Trade and Development Board decision 156 (XVII)][c]	May/June (1 week)	Geneva	[d]	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
80.	Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations, resumed session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 3 (II) and 1296 (XLIV) and decisions 1995/304 and 1997/297]	29 May-6 June	New York	19 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
81.	UNDP and UNFPA, Executive Board, annual session [General Assembly resolutions 2029 (XX) and 48/162]	2-13 June	Geneva	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
82.	UNFCCC, meetings of subsidiary bodies of the Conference of the Parties to the Convention [General Assembly decision 60/197][b]	2-13 June	Bonn	189 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
83.	WFP, Executive Board, annual session [Economic and Social Council decision 1995/227 and General Assembly resolution 50/8][e]	9-13 June	Rome	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
84.	Committee on the Rights of the Child, pre-sessional working group, forty-ninth session [General Assembly resolutions 44/25, 47/112 and 49/211][b]	9-13 June	Geneva	18 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Three sessions per year
85.	Committee for Programme and Coordination, forty-eighth session, first part [Economic and Social Council resolution 2008 (LX) and General Assembly resolution 31/93]	9 June-3 July	New York	34 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
86.	Human Rights Committee, Working Group on Communications, ninety-third session [General Assembly resolution 2200 A (XXI)][b]	30 June-4 July	Geneva	9 E	I (EFRS)	T	—	Three sessions per year

	Organ	Dates (2008)	Location	Membership	Servicing[a]			Periodicity
87.	Subcommittee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods, thirty-third session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1989/104 and 1999/65]	30 June-9 July	Geneva	23 G	I (CEFRS)	T	—	One or two sessions per year
88.	Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, forty-first session [General Assembly resolution 34/180][b]	June/July	To be determined	23 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
89.	Economic and Social Council, substantive session [Charter]	30 June-25 July	New York	54 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session per year
90.	Human Rights Council, ninth session [General Assembly resolution 60/251][c]	June (2-3 weeks)	Geneva	47 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
91.	Meeting of persons chairing human rights treaty bodies, twentieth session [General Assembly resolutions 46/111 and 49/178][c]	June (1 week)	Geneva	8 E	I (EFS)	T	—	One session per year
92.	General Assembly, comprehensive review of the progress achieved in realizing the Declaration of Commitment on HIV/AIDS [General Assembly resolution 60/262][c]	June[d]	New York	192 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	PV	
93.	Committee of Permanent Representatives to UN-Habitat, twenty-ninth meeting [General Assembly resolution 56/206][c]	June	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Four meetings per year
94.	UNEP, Committee of Permanent Representatives, one hundred and third meeting [Governing Council decision 13/2]	June	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Four meetings per year
95.	Committee against Torture, Subcommittee on Prevention of Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment, fifth session [Part I, article 2, of the Optional Protocol to the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment and report of the Human Rights Council (A/61/53)][b]	June/July (1 week)	Geneva	10 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Three sessions per year
96.	Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, Working Group on Communications under the Optional Protocol to the Convention [General Assembly resolution 55/70][b]	June/July	To be determined	5 E	I (EFS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
97.	Human Rights Committee, ninety-third session [General Assembly resolution 2200 A (XXI)][b]	7-25 July	Geneva	18 E	I (AEFRS)	T	SR	Three sessions per year
98.	Subcommittee of Experts on the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals, fifteenth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1989/104 and 1999/65]	9-11 July	Geneva	23 G	I (CEFRS)	T	—	One or two sessions per year
99.	Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, pre-sessional working group [General Assembly resolutions 45/124 and 47/94][b]	July	To be determined	4 E	I (EFS)	T	—	Two sessions per year

	Organ	Dates (2008)	Location	Membership	Servicing[a]			Periodicity
100.	Human Rights Council, Open-Ended Working Group on an optional protocol to the International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, fifth session [General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council resolution 1/3]	July (2 weeks)	Geneva	53 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
101.	UNCTAD, Intergovernmental Group of Experts on Competition Law and Policy [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167][c]	July	Geneva	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
102.	Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination, seventy-third session [General Assembly resolution 2106 A (XX)][b]	July/August (3 weeks)	Geneva	18 E	I (CEFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
103.	Human Rights Council, Subcommission on the Promotion and Protection of Human Rights, sixtieth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 9 (II) and General Assembly resolution 60/251][c]	July/August (3 weeks)	Geneva	26 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session per year
104.	Human Rights Council, Subcommission on the Promotion and Protection of Human Rights, Working Group on Contemporary Forms of Slavery, thirty-third session [Economic and Social Council decision 16 (LVI) and General Assembly resolution 60/251][c]	July/August (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (EFRS)	T	—	One session per year
105.	Committee for Programme and Coordination, forty-eighth session, second part [Economic and Social Council resolution 2008 (LX) and General Assembly resolution 31/93]	August (2 weeks)	New York	34 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
106.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on Enforced and Involuntary Disappearances [Economic and Social Council decision 2004/260 and General Assembly resolution 60/251][c]	August (2 weeks)	Geneva	5 E	I (AEFS)	T	—	
107.	Human Rights Council, Subcommission on the Promotion and Protection of Human Rights, Working Group on Communications [Economic and Social Council resolution 1503 (XLVIII) 246 and General Assembly resolution 60/251][c]	August (2 weeks)	Geneva	5 E	I (CEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
108.	Twenty-sixth Meeting of States Parties to the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights [General Assembly resolution 2200 A (XXI)][b]	4 September	New York	145 G	I (AEFRS)	T	SR	One session every two years
109.	UNDP and UNFPA, Executive Board, second regular session [General Assembly resolutions 2029 (XX) and 48/162]	8-12 September	New York	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
110.	Human Rights Council, working group on arbitrary detention, fiftieth session [General Assembly resolution 60/251][c]	8-12 September	Geneva	5 E	I (EFS)	T	—	

	Organ	Dates (2008)	Location	Membership	Servicing[a]			Periodicity
111.	UNCTAD, Working Party on the Medium-term Plan and the Programme Budget, fifty-first session [UNCTAD resolution 114 (V) and Trade and Development Board decision 156 (XVII)][c]	8-12 September	Geneva	[d]	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
112.	UNICEF, Executive Board, second regular session [General Assembly resolutions 57 (I) and 48/162]	15-19 September	New York	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
113.	Committee on the Rights of the Child, forty-ninth session [General Assembly resolutions 44/25, 47/112 and 49/211][b]	15 September-3 October	Geneva	18 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Three sessions per year
114.	UNCTAD, Trade and Development Board, fifty-fifth session [General Assembly resolution 1995 (XIX) and UNCTAD resolution 114 (V)][c]	29 September-10 October	Geneva	148 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
115.	Human Rights Council, tenth session [General Assembly resolution 60/251][c]	September (2-3 weeks)	Geneva	47 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
116.	Human Rights Council, working group of experts on people of African descent, eighth session [Economic and Social Council decision 2002/270 and General Assembly resolution 60/251][c]	September (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
117.	UNEP, Committee of Permanent Representatives, one hundred and fourth meeting [Governing Council decision 13/2]	September	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Four meetings per year
118.	Committee of Permanent Representatives to UN-Habitat, thirtieth meeting [General Assembly resolution 56/206][c]	September	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Four meetings per year
119.	Commission on Narcotic Drugs, meeting of heads of national drug law enforcement agencies, African region, eighteenth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1985/11]	September	Addis Ababa	53 G	I (AEF)	T	—	One session per year
120.	Human Rights Committee, Working Group on Communications, ninety-fourth session [General Assembly resolution 2200 A (XXI)][b]	6-10 October	Geneva	9 E	I (EFRS)	T	—	Three sessions per year
121.	Committee on the Rights of the Child, pre-sessional working group, fiftieth session [General Assembly resolutions 44/25, 47/112 and 49/211][b]	6-10 October	Geneva	18 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Three sessions per year
122.	Conference of the States Parties to the United Nations Convention Against Transnational Organized Crime, and its Protocols, fourth session [General Assembly resolution 55/25][b]	6-15 October	Vienna	129 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session every two years
123.	Human Rights Committee, ninety-fourth session [General Assembly resolution 2200 A (XXI)][b]	13-31 October	Geneva	18 E	I (AEFRS)	T	SR	Three sessions per year

	Organ	Dates (2008)	Location	Membership	Servicing[a]			Periodicity
124.	WFP, Executive Board, second regular session [Economic and Social Council decision 1995/227 and General Assembly resolution 50/8][f]	27-31 October	Rome	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
125.	International Narcotics Control Board, ninety-third session [Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs of 1961, article 11][b]	28 October-14 November	Vienna	13 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two or three sessions per year
126.	UNHCR, Executive Committee, fifty-ninth session [General Assembly resolution 1166 (XII)][c]	October (1 week)	Geneva	72 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session per year
127.	United Nations Voluntary Fund for Victims of Torture, Board of Trustees, twenty-eighth session [General Assembly resolution 36/151][c]	October (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (EFS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
128.	United Nations System Chief Executives Board for Coordination, second regular session [Economic and Social Council decision 2001/321]	October	New York	26 ST	I (EF)	T	—	Two sessions per year
129.	Commission on Narcotic Drugs, meeting of heads of national drug law enforcement agencies, Latin America and the Caribbean region, eighteenth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1987/34 and 1988/15]	October	Santiago	41 G	I (EFS)	T	—	One session per year
130.	Voluntary Fund for Technical Cooperation in the Field of Human Rights, Board of Trustees, twenty-ninth session [Economic and Social Council decision 1993/283]	17-21 November	Geneva	5 E	I (EF)	T	—	Two sessions per year
131.	Human Rights Council, working group on arbitrary detention, fifty-third session [General Assembly resolution 60/251][e]	19-28 November	Geneva	5 E	I (EFS)	T	—	
132.	Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, forty-first session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1982/33, 1985/17 and 1995/39]	November (3 weeks)	Geneva	18 E	I (AEFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
133.	Committee against Torture, forty-first session [General Assembly resolution 39/46 A][b]	November (3 weeks)	Geneva	10 E	I (EFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
134.	Committee against Torture, Subcommittee on Prevention of Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment, sixth session [Part I, article 2, of the Optional Protocol to the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment and report of the Human Rights Council (A/61/53)][b]	November (1 week)	Geneva	10 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Three sessions per year
135.	Committee on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families, ninth session [General Assembly resolution 45/158][b]	November (1 week)	Geneva	10 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year

	Organ	Dates (2008)	Location	Membership	Servicing[a]			Periodicity
136.	United Nations Pledging Conference for Development Activities [General Assembly resolution 32/197][c]	November (1 day)	New York	195 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
137.	Commission on Narcotic Drugs, meeting of heads of national drug law enforcement agencies, Asia and the Pacific region, thirty-second session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1985/11 and 1988/15]	November	Bangkok	51 G	I (CEFR)	T	—	One session per year
138.	Human Rights Council, eleventh session [General Assembly resolution 60/251][c]	November/ December (2-3 weeks)	Geneva	47 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
139.	Committee of Experts on International Cooperation in Tax Matters, fourth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1273 (XLIII), 1765 (LIV) and 2004/69]	November/ December (1 week)	Geneva	25 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
140.	Subcommittee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods, thirty-fourth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1989/104 and 1999/65]	1-9 December	Geneva	22 G	I (CEFRS)	T	—	One or two sessions per year
141.	UNFCCC, Conference of the Parties to the Convention, fourteenth session, and meetings of subsidiary bodies [General Assembly resolution 60/197][b]	1-12 December	Bonn	189 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
142.	Subcommittee of Experts on the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals, sixteenth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1989/104 and 1999/65]	9-11 December	Geneva	23 G	I (CEFRS)	T	—	One or two sessions per year
143.	Committee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods and on the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals, fourth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1989/104 and 1999/65]	12 December	Geneva	23 G	I (CEFRS)	T	—	One session every two years
144.	Twelfth Meeting of the States Parties to the Convention on the Rights of the Child [General Assembly resolution 44/25][b]	16 December	New York	192 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session every two years
145.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on Enforced and Involuntary Disappearances [Economic and Social Council decision 2004/260 and General Assembly resolution 60/251][c]	December (2 weeks)	Geneva	5 E	I (AEFS)	T	—	
146.	Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, pre-sessional working group, forty-second session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1982/33, 1985/17 and 1995/39]	December (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (EFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
147.	UNU, Council, fifty-fifth session [General Assembly resolution 3081 (XXVIII)][c]	December (1 week)	Tokyo	28 E	I (EF)	T	—	One session per year

	Organ	Dates (2008)	Location	Membership	Servicing[a]			Periodicity
148.	Ad Hoc Committee of the General Assembly for the Announcement of Voluntary Contributions to the Programme of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees [General Assembly resolution 55/75][c]	December (1 meeting)	Geneva	195 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One meeting per year
149.	Committee of Permanent Representatives to UN-Habitat, thirty-first meeting [General Assembly resolution 56/206][c]	December	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Four meetings per year
150.	UNEP, Committee of Permanent Representatives, one hundred and fifth meeting [Governing Council decision 13/2]	December	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Four sessions per year
151.	Commission on Narcotic Drugs, Subcommission on Illicit Drug Traffic and Related Matters in the Near and Middle East, forty-third session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1776 (LIV)]	December	A capital in the region	23 G	I (AER)	T	—	One session per year
152.	UNCTAD, other commodity conferences and commodity meetings [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167][c]	As required (up to 30 meetings)	Geneva	[d]	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	As required
153.	UNCTAD, seminars and study groups [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167][c]	As required (up to 30 meetings)	Geneva	[d]	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	As required
154.	UNCTAD, consultations of the Secretary-General and of the President of the Trade and Development Board [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167][c]	As required (up to 30 meetings)	Geneva	[d]	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	As required
155.	UNCTAD, executive sessions of the Trade and Development Board [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167][c]	As required (3 days)	Geneva	[d]	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	As required
156.	UNDP and UNFPA, Executive Board, briefings and informal consultations [General Assembly resolutions 2020 (XX) and 48/162]	As required	New York	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	As required
157.	UNICEF, Executive Board, briefings and informal consultations [General Assembly resolutions 57 (I) and 48/162]	As required	New York	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	As required
158.	Economic and Social Council, formal/informal meetings [Charter and General Assembly resolutions 50/227 and 61/16]	As required	New York	54 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR[b]	As required

	Organ	Dates (2008)	Location	Membership	Servicing[a]			Periodicity
159.	ECE, committees and working groups [Economic and Social Council resolution 36 (IV)]	As required	Geneva	55 G	To be determined	T	—	As required
160.	Human Rights Council, ad hoc committee on the elaboration of complementary standards in the field of racism [Human Rights Council decision 3/103]	To be determined (10 days)	Geneva	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
161.	UNCCD, Committee for the Review of the Implementation of the Convention, seventh session [General Assembly resolution 60/201][b]	To be determined (8 days)	Bonn	185 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
162.	Human Rights Council, Subcommission on the Promotion and Protection of Human Rights, Working Group on Minorities [Economic and Social Council resolution 1998/246 and General Assembly resolution 60/251][c]	To be determined (5 days)	Geneva	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
163.	Human Rights Council, Subcommission on the Promotion and Protection of Human Rights, Working Group on Indigenous Populations, twenty-sixth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1982/34 and General Assembly resolution 60/251][c]	To be determined (5 days)	Geneva	5 E	I (CEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
164.	Human Rights Council, Subcommission on the Promotion and Protection of Human Rights, intersessional forum on economic, social and cultural rights (Social Forum), seventh session [Economic and Social Council decision 2003/264 and General Assembly resolution 60/251][c]	To be determined (2 days)	Geneva	10 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
165.	Commission on Sustainable Development, organizational session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1997/63]	To be determined (1 day)	New York	53 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
166.	Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations, organizational session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1996/31]	To be determined (1 day)	New York	19 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
167.	Fifteenth Meeting of States Parties to the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women [General Assembly resolution 34/180][b]	To be determined	New York	163 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session every two years
168.	Ad Hoc Open-ended Working Group on Informatics [Economic and Social Council decision 2006/35]	To be determined	New York	54 G	—	T	—	
169.	Human Rights Council, working group on the review of mandates [General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council decision 1/104][c]	To be determined	Geneva	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
170.	Human Rights Council, working group on the agenda, methods of work and rules of procedure [General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council resolution 3/4][c]	To be determined	Geneva	47 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	

	Organ	Dates (2008)	Location	Membership	Servicing[a]		Periodicity
171.	Human Rights Council, working group on the universal periodic review, second session [General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council decision 1/103][c]	To be determined	Geneva	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—
172.	Human Rights Council acting as the Preparatory Committee for the Review Conference on the implementation of the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action, second session [Human Rights Council resolution 3/2][c]	To be determined	Geneva	192 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—
173.	Committee on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities [General Assembly resolution 61/106 and article 34 of the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities][b]	To be determined	Geneva	12 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR
174.	UNCTAD, expert meeting of the Commission on Investment, Technology and Related Financial Issues [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167][c]	To be determined	Geneva	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T	—
175.	UNCTAD, expert meeting of the Commission on Enterprise, Business Facilitation and Development [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167][c]	To be determined	Geneva	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T	—
176.	UNCTAD, expert meeting of the Commission on Trade in Goods and Services, and Commodities [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167][c]	To be determined	Geneva	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T	—
177.	Committee on Enforced Disappearances [General Assembly resolution 61/177 and article 26 of the International Convention for the Protection of All Persons from Enforced Disappearances][b]	To be determined	Geneva	10 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR
178.	First Meeting of States parties to the International Convention for the Protection of All Persons from Enforced Disappearances [General Assembly resolution 61/177][b,k]	To be determined	Geneva	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR
179.	Follow-up International Conference on Financing for Development to review the implementation of the Monterrey Consensus [General Assembly resolution 61/191][c]	To be determined	Doha	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T	
180.	African Regional Preparatory Meeting for the Twelfth United Nations Congress on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice [General Assembly resolution 46/152]	To be determined	To be determined	53 G	I (AEF)	T	—

	Organ	*Dates (2008)*	*Location*	*Membership*	*Servicing*[a]		*Periodicity*
181.	Asia and Pacific Regional Preparatory Meeting for the Twelfth United Nations Congress on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice [General Assembly resolution 46/152]	To be determined	To be determined	53 G	To be determined	T	—

(Footnotes at end of section B).

B. Provisional calendar of conferences and meetings for 2009 in the economic, social and related fields

(as at May 2007)

	Organ	Dates (2009)	Location	Membership	Servicing[a]			Periodicity
1.	Economic and Social Council, election of Bureau [Charter]	15 January	New York	54 G	1 (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
2.	UNDP and UNFPA, Executive Board, first regular session [General Assembly resolutions 2029 (XX) and 48/162]	19-22 January	New York	36 G	1 (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
3.	Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations, regular session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 3 (II) and 1296 (XLIV) and decisions 1995/304 and 1997/297]	19-30 January	New York	19 G	1 (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
4.	Joint Meeting of the Executive Boards of UNDP/UNFPA, UNICEF and WFP [General Assembly resolution 52/12 B]	23 and 26 January	New York	36 G/36 G/ 36 G	1 (ACEFRS)	T	—	
5.	UNICEF, Executive Board, first regular session [General Assembly resolutions 48/162 and 57 (I)]	27-30 January	New York	36 G	1 (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
6.	Human Rights Council, high-level task force on the implementation of the right to development, fifth session [General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council resolution 1/4]	January (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	1 (ACEFRS)	T	—	
7.	Consultative Committee on the United Nations Development Fund for Women, forty-ninth session [General Assembly resolutions 31/133 and 39/125]	January	New York	5 G	—	—	—	One session per year
8.	Committee of Permanent Representatives to UN-Habitat, thirty-second meeting [General Assembly resolution 56/206][c]	January	Nairobi	58 G	1 (ACEFRS)	T	—	Four meetings per year
9.	Committee on the Rights of the Child, fiftieth session [General Assembly resolutions 44/25, 47/112 and 49/211][b]	January/February (3 weeks)	Geneva	18 E	1 (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Three sessions per year
10.	Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, forty-second session [General Assembly resolution 34/180][b]	January/February (3 weeks)	Geneva	23 E	1 (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
11.	Human Rights Council, working group of experts on people of African descent, ninth session [Economic and Social Council decision 2002/270 and General Assembly resolution 60/251][c]	January/February (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	1 (ACEFRS)	T	—	
12.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on Situations, thirty-fifth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1990/41 and General Assembly resolution 60/251][c]	January/February (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	1 (EFRS)	T	—	One session per year

	Organ	Dates (2009)	Location	Membership	Servicing[a]			Periodicity
13.	International Narcotics Control Board, ninety-fourth session [Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs of 1961, article 11][b]	2-6 February	Vienna	13 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two or three sessions per year
14.	WFP, Executive Board, first regular session [Economic and Social Council decision 1995/227 and General Assembly resolution 50/8][f]	2-6 February	Rome	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
15.	Economic and Social Council, organizational session [Charter]	10-13 February	New York	54 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
16.	Commission for Social Development, forty-seventh session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 10 (II), 1139 (XLI) and 1996/7]	11-20 February	New York	46 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
17.	UNEP, Governing Council/Global Ministerial Forum, twenty-fifth session [General Assembly resolutions 2997 (XXVII) and 42/185]	16-20 February	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session every two years
18.	Intergovernmental preparatory meeting for the seventeenth session of the Commission on Sustainable Development [Economic and Social Council resolution 2003/61]	23-27 February	New York	53 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
19.	Statistical Commission, fortieth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1999/8]	24-27 February	New York	24 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
20.	Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, pre-sessional working group [General Assembly resolutions 45/124 and 47/94][b]	February (1 week)	Geneva	4 E	I (EFS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
21.	Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, Working Group on Communications under the Optional Protocol to the Convention [General Assembly resolution 55/70][b]	February (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (EFS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
22.	Committee on the Rights of the Child, pre-sessional working group, fifty-first session [General Assembly resolutions 44/25, 47/112 and 49/211][b]	February (1 week)	Geneva	18 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Three sessions per year
23.	United Nations Voluntary Trust Fund on Contemporary Forms of Slavery, Board of Trustees, fourteenth session [General Assembly resolution 46/122][c]	February (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (EFS)	T	—	One session per year
24.	Committee against Torture, Subcommittee on Prevention of Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment, seventh session [Part I, article 2 of the Optional Protocol to the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment and report of the Human Rights Council (A/61/53)][b]	February (1 week)	Geneva	10 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Three sessions per year

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25.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on the Use of Mercenaries, fifth session [Economic and Social Council decision 2005/255 and General Assembly resolution 60/251][c]	February (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
26.	Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination, seventy-fourth session [General Assembly resolution 2106 A (XX)][b]	February/March (3 weeks)	Geneva	18 E	I (CEFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
27.	Human Rights Council, Intergovernmental Working Group on the effective implementation of the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action, seventh session, [General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council resolution 1/5]	February/March (2 weeks)	Geneva	47 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
28.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on the Right to Development, tenth session [General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council resolution 1/4]	February/March (1 week)	Geneva	47 G	I (ACEFRS)	T		
29.	United Nations Voluntary Fund for Indigenous Populations, Board of Trustees, twenty-second session [General Assembly resolution 40/131][c]	February/March (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (EFRS)	T	—	One session per year
30.	Commission on the Status of Women, fifty-third session [Economic and Social Council decision 1999/257]	2-13 March	New York	45 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
31.	Human Rights Committee, Working Group on Communications, ninety-fifth session [General Assembly resolution 2200 A (XXI)][b]	9-13 March	New York	9 E	I (EFRS)	T	—	Three sessions per year
32.	Committee for Development Policy, eleventh session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1998/46]	9-13 March	New York	24 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
33.	Commission on Narcotic Drugs, fifty-second session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 9 (I) and 1991/39]	10-19 March	Vienna	53 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
34.	Committee of the Whole of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs [Economic and Social Council resolution 1991/39]	10-19 March (4 days)	Vienna	53 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
35.	Human Rights Committee, ninety-fifth session [General Assembly resolution 2200 A (XXI)][b]	16 March-3 April	New York	18 E	I (AEFRS)	T	SR	Three sessions per year
36.	Commission on Population and Development, forty-second session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 150 (VII), 87 (LVII) and 1995/55]	30 March-3 April	New York	47 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
37.	Committee of Experts on Public Administration, eighth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 2001/45 and 2003/60]	30 March-3 April	New York	24 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year

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38.	Governing Council of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme, twenty-second session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1978/1 and General Assembly resolution 56/206][c]	30 March-3 April	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session every two years
39.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on Enforced and Involuntary Disappearances, eighty-seventh session [Economic and Social Council decision 2004/260 and General Assembly resolution 60/251][c]	March (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (AEFS)	T	—	
40.	UNEP, Committee of Permanent Representatives, one hundred and sixth meeting [Governing Council decision 13/2]	March	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Four meetings per year
41.	Committee of Permanent Representatives to UN-Habitat, extraordinary meeting [General Assembly resolution 56/206][c]	March	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
42.	Human Rights Council, twelfth session [General Assembly resolution 60/251][c]	March/April[f] (3-4 weeks)	Geneva	47 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
43.	Committee for the United Nations Population Award [General Assembly resolution 36/201][c]	March/April[f] (2 days)	New York	10 G	I (EFS)	T		One session per year
44.	ECA, Conference of African Ministers of Finance, Planning and Economic Development, forty-second session of the Commission [Economic and Social Council resolution 671 (XXV)]	March/April[f]	Addis Ababa	53 G	I (AEF)	T	—	One session per year
45.	ECA, Committee of Experts of the Conference of African Ministers of Finance, Planning and Economic Development, twenty-eighth meeting [Economic and Social Council resolution 671 (XXV)]	March/April[f]	Addis Ababa	53 G	I (AEF)	T	—	One session per year
46.	Special high-level meetings of the Economic and Social Council with the Bretton Woods institutions, the World Trade Organization and UNCTAD [General Assembly resolutions 50/227 and 61/16 and Economic and Social Council decision 2005/211]	20 April	New York	54 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR[h]	
47.	United Nations Forum on Forests [Economic and Social Council resolution 2006/49]	20 April-1 May	New York	195 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session every two years
48.	Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice, eighteenth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1992/1]	21-29 April	Vienna	40 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
49.	Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice, parallel meetings for informal consultations and working groups [Economic and Social Council decision 1997/232]	21-29 April (12 meetings)	Vienna	40 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year

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50.	Economic and Social Council, resumed organizational session [Charter]	29-30 April	New York	54 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
51.	Committee on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families, tenth session [General Assembly resolution 45/158][b]	April[f] (1 week)	Geneva	10 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
52.	UNITAR, Board of Trustees, forty-seventh session [General Assembly resolutions 1934 (XVIII) and 47/227][c]	April[f] (2-3 days)	Geneva	28 E	I (AEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
53.	Committee against Torture, forty-second session [General Assembly resolution 39/46 A][b]	April[f]/May (3 weeks)	Geneva	10 E	I (EFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
54.	Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, forty-second session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1982/33, 1985/17 and 1995/39]	April[f]/May (3 weeks)	Geneva	18 E	I (AEFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
55.	United Nations System Chief Executives Board for Coordination, fifth regular session [Economic and Social Council decision 2001/321]	April[f]/May	To be determined	26 ST	I (EF)	T	—	Two sessions per year
56.	ESCAP, sixty-fifth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 37 (IV), 69 (V) and 723 B (XXVIII)]	April[f]/May	Bangkok	53 G	I (CEFR)	T	—	One session per year
57.	Commission on Sustainable Development, seventeenth session [Economic and Social Council decisions 1993/207 and 2005/228]	4-15 May	New York	53 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
58.	International Narcotics Control Board, ninety-fifth session [Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs of 1961, article 11][b]	11-22 May	Vienna	13 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two or three sessions per year
59.	High-level Committee on South-South Cooperation, sixteenth session, organizational session [General Assembly resolutions 33/134 and 58/220][c]	12 May	New York	195 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session every two years
60.	Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues, eighth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 2000/22]	18-29 May	New York	16 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
61.	UNDP and UNFPA, Executive Board, annual session [General Assembly resolutions 2029 (XX) and 48/162]	26 May-5 June	New York	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
62.	United Nations Voluntary Fund for Victims of Torture, Board of Trustees, twenty-ninth session [General Assembly resolution 36/151][c]	May (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (EFS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
63.	Voluntary Fund for Technical Cooperation in the Field of Human Rights, Board of Trustees, thirtieth session [Economic and Social Council decision 1993/283]	May (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (EF)	T	—	Two sessions per year

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64.	Human Rights Council, working group on arbitrary detention, fifty-fourth session [General Assembly resolution 60/251]	May (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (EFS)	T	—	
65.	Commission on Science and Technology for Development, twelfth session [General Assembly resolution 46/235 and Economic and Social Council resolutions 2002/37 and 2006/46 and decision 2003/291]	May (1 week)	Geneva	43 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
66.	Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, pre-sessional working group, forty-third session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1982/33, 1985/17 and 1995/39]	May (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (EFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
67.	Committee for Programme and Coordination, organizational session [Economic and Social Council resolution 2008 (LX) and General Assembly resolution 31/93]	May (1 day)	New York	34 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
68.	Committee on the Rights of the Child, fifty-first session [General Assembly resolutions 44/25, 47/112 and 49/211][b]	May/June (3 weeks)	Geneva	18 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Three sessions per year
69.	UNCTAD, Working Party on the medium-term plan and the programme budget [UNCTAD resolution 114 (V) and Trade and Development Board decision 156 (XVII)][c]	May/June (1 week)	Geneva	[d]	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
70.	Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations, resumed session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 3 (II) and 1296 (XLIV) and decisions 1995/304 and 1997/297]	1-5 June	New York	19 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
71.	UNFCCC, meetings of subsidiary bodies of the Conference of the Parties to the Convention [General Assembly decision 60/197][b]	1-12 June	Bonn	189 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
72.	High-level Committee on South-South Cooperation, sixteenth session [General Assembly resolutions 33/134 and 58/220][e]	2-5 June	New York	195 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session every two years
73.	UNICEF, Executive Board, annual session [General Assembly resolutions 57 (I) and 48/162]	8-12 June	New York	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
74.	WFP, Executive Board, annual session [Economic and Social Council decision 1995/227 and General Assembly resolution 50/8][f]	8-12 June	Rome	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
75.	Committee for Programme and Coordination, forty-ninth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 2008 (LX) and General Assembly resolution 31/93]	8 June-2 July	New York	34 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year

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76.	Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, Working Group on Communications under the Optional Protocol to the Convention [General Assembly resolution 55/70][b]	June/July	To be determined	5 E	I (EFS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
77.	Subcommittee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods, thirty-fifth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1989/104 and 1999/65]	29 June-3 July	Geneva	23 G	I (CEFRS)	T	—	One or two sessions per year
78.	Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, forty-third session [General Assembly resolution 34/180][b]	June/July	To be determined	23 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
79.	Human Rights Council, thirteenth session [General Assembly resolution 60/251][c]	June (2-3 weeks)	Geneva	47 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
80.	Committee on the Rights of the Child, pre-sessional working group, fifty-second session [General Assembly resolutions 44/25, 47/112 and 49/211][b]	June (1 week)	Geneva	18 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Three sessions per year
81.	Meeting of persons chairing human rights treaty bodies [General Assembly resolutions 46/111 and 49/178][c]	June (1 week)	Geneva	8 E	I (EFS)	T	—	One session per year
82.	Commission on Narcotic Drugs, meeting of heads of national drug law enforcement agencies, European region, eighth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1993/36 and 2005/28]	June	Vienna	55 G	I (AEFRS)	T	—	One session every two years
83.	Committee of Permanent Representatives to UN-Habitat, thirty-third meeting [General Assembly resolution 56/206][c]	June	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Four meetings per year
84.	UNEP, Committee of Permanent Representatives, one hundred and seventh meeting [Governing Council decision 13/2]	June	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Four meetings per year
85.	Committee against Torture, Subcommittee on Prevention of Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment, eighth session [Part I, article 2, of the Optional Protocol to the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment and report of the Human Rights Council (A/61/53)][b]	June/July (1 week)	Geneva	10 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Three sessions per year
86.	Subcommittee of Experts on the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals, seventeenth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1989/104 and 1999/65]	6-8 July	Geneva	23 G	I (CEFRS)	T	—	One or two sessions per year
87.	Economic and Social Council, substantive session [Charter]	6-31 July	Geneva	54 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session per year

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88.	**Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women, pre-sessional working group [General Assembly resolutions 45/124 and 47/94][b]**	July	To be determined	4 E	I (EFS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
89.	**Human Rights Committee, ninety-sixth session [General Assembly resolution 2200 A (XXI)][b]**	July (3 weeks)	Geneva	18 E	I (AEFRS)	T	SR	Three sessions per year
90.	**Human Rights Council Open-Ended Working Group on an optional protocol to the International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, sixth session [General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council resolution 1/3]**	July (2 weeks)	Geneva	53 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
91.	**Human Rights Committee, Working Group on Communications, ninety-sixth session [General Assembly resolution 2200 A (XXI)][b]**	July (1 week)	Geneva	9 E	I (EFRS)	T	—	Three sessions per year
92.	**Human Rights Council, Subcommission on the Promotion and Protection of Human Rights, Working Group on Indigenous Populations, twenty-seventh session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1982/34 and General Assembly resolution 60/251][c]**	July (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (CEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
93.	**UNCTAD, Intergovernmental Group of Experts on Competition Law and Policy [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167][c]**	July	Geneva	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
94.	**Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination, seventy-fifth session [General Assembly resolution 2106 A (XX)][b]**	July/August (3 weeks)	Geneva	18 E	I (CEFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
95.	**Human Rights Council, Subcommission on the Promotion and Protection of Human Rights, sixty-first session [Economic and Social Council resolution 9 (II) and General Assembly resolution 60/251][c]**	July/August (3 weeks)	Geneva	26 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session per year
96.	**Human Rights Council, Subcommission on the Promotion and Protection of Human Rights, Working Group on Contemporary Forms of Slavery, thirty-fourth session [Economic and Social Council decision 16 (LVI) and General Assembly resolution 60/251][c]**	July/August (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (EFRS)	T	—	One session per year
97.	**Human Rights Council, Subcommission on the Promotion and Protection of Human Rights, intersessional forum on economic, social and cultural rights (Social Forum) [Economic and Social Council decision 2003/264 and General Assembly resolution 60/251][c]**	July/August (2 days)	Geneva	10 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year

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98.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on Enforced and Involuntary Disappearances, eighty-eighth session [Economic and Social Council decision 2004/260 and General Assembly resolution 60/251][c]	August (2 weeks)	Geneva	5 E	I (AEFS)	T	—	
99.	Human Rights Council, Subcommission on the Promotion and Protection of Human Rights, Working Group on Communications [Economic and Social Council resolution 1503 (XLVIII) and General Assembly resolution 60/251][c]	August (2 weeks)	Geneva	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
100.	UNDP and UNFPA, Executive Board, second regular session [General Assembly resolutions 2029 (XX) and 48/162]	8-11 September	New York	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
101.	UNICEF, Executive Board, second regular session [General Assembly resolutions 57 (I) and 48/162]	14-18 September	New York	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
102.	Human Rights Council, fourteenth session [General Assembly resolution 60/251][c]	September (2-3 weeks)	Geneva	47 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
103.	Human Rights Council, working group on arbitrary detention, fifty-fifth session [General Assembly resolution 60/251][c]	September (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (EFS)	T	—	
104.	UNCTAD, Working Party on the Medium-term Plan and the Programme Budget, fifty-third session [UNCTAD resolution 114 (V) and Trade and Development Board decision 156 (XVII)][c]	September (1 week)	Geneva	[d]	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
105.	Human Rights Council, working group of experts on people of African descent, tenth session [Economic and Social Council decision 2002/270 and General Assembly resolution 60/251][c]	September (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
106.	UNEP, Committee of Permanent Representatives, one hundred and eighth meeting [Governing Council decision 13/2]	September	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Four meetings per year
107.	Committee of Permanent Representatives to UN-Habitat, thirty-fourth meeting [General Assembly resolution 56/206][c]	September	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Four meetings per year
108.	Commission on Narcotic Drugs, meeting of heads of national drug law enforcement agencies, African region, nineteenth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1985/11]	September	Addis Ababa	53 G	I (AEF)	T	—	One session per year
109.	Committee on the Rights of the Child, fifty-second session [General Assembly resolutions 44/25, 47/112 and 49/211][b]	September/ October (3 weeks)	Geneva	18 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Three sessions per year

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110.	WFP, Executive Board, second regular session [Economic and Social Council decision 1995/227 and General Assembly resolution 50/8][f]	26-30 October	Rome	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
111.	UNCTAD, Trade and Development Board, fifty-sixth session [General Assembly resolution 1995 (XIX) and UNCTAD resolution 114 (V)][c]	October (2 weeks)	Geneva	148 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
112.	Committee on the Rights of the Child, pre-sessional working group, fifty-third session [General Assembly resolutions 44/25, 47/112 and 49/211][b]	October (1 week)	Geneva	18 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Three sessions per year
113.	UNHCR, Executive Committee, sixtieth session [General Assembly resolution 1166 (XII)][c]	October (1 week)	Geneva	72 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session per year
114.	Human Rights Committee, Working Group on Communications, ninety-seventh session [General Assembly resolution 2200 A (XXI)][b]	October (1 week)	Geneva	9 E	I (EFRS)	T	—	Three sessions per year
115.	United Nations Voluntary Fund for Victims of Torture, Board of Trustees, thirtieth session [General Assembly resolution 36/151][c]	October (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (EFS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
116.	General Assembly, high-level dialogue on financing for development [General Assembly resolution 57/250][c]	October (3 days)	New York	192 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	PV	One session every two years
117.	Twelfth Meeting of States Parties to the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment [General Assembly resolution 39/46 A][b]	October (1 day)	Geneva	139 G	I (EFRS)	T	SR	One session every two years
118.	Commission on Narcotic Drugs, meeting of heads of national drug law enforcement agencies, Latin America and the Caribbean region, nineteenth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1987/34 and 1988/15]	October	Santiago	41 G	I (EFS)	T	—	One session per year
119.	Human Rights Committee, ninety-seventh session [General Assembly resolution 2200 A (XXI)][b]	October/ November (3 weeks)	Geneva	18 E	I (AEFRS)	T	SR	Three sessions per year
120.	UNCCD, Conference of the Parties to the Convention, ninth session, and meetings of subsidiary bodies [General Assembly resolution 60/201][b]	October/ November (2 weeks)	Bonn	185 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session every two years
121.	Committee of Experts on International Cooperation in Tax Matters [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1273 (XLIII), 1765 (LIV) and 2004/69]	October/ November (5 days)	Geneva	25 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
122.	International Narcotics Control Board, ninety-sixth session [Single Convention on Narcotic Drugs of 1961, article 11][b]	3-20 November	Vienna	13 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Two or three sessions per year

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123.	Eighteenth United Nations Regional Cartographic Conference for Asia and the Pacific (Economic and Social Council decision 2004/304)	16-20 November	Bangkok	51 G	I (CEFR)	T	—	One session every three years
124.	Subcommittee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1989/104 and 1999/65]	30 November-9 December	Geneva	22 G	I (CEFRS)	T	—	One or two sessions per year
125.	UNFCCC, Conference of the Parties to the Convention, fifteenth session, and meetings of subsidiary bodies [General Assembly resolution 60/197][b]	30 November-11 December	Bonn	189 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
126.	Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, forty-third session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1982/33, 1985/17 and 1995/39]	November (3 weeks)	Geneva	18 E	I (AEFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
127.	Committee against Torture, forty-third session [General Assembly resolution 39/46 A][b]	November (3 weeks)	Geneva	10 E	I (EFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
128.	Voluntary Fund for Technical Cooperation in the Field of Human Rights, Board of Trustees, thirty-first session [Economic and Social Council decision 1993/283]	November (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (EF)	T	—	Two sessions per year
129.	Committee against Torture, Subcommittee on Prevention of Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment, third session [Part I, article 2, of the Optional Protocol to the Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment and report of the Human Rights Council (A/61/53)][b]	November (1 week)	Geneva	10 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Three sessions per year
130.	Human Rights Council, working group on arbitrary detention, fifty-sixth session [General Assembly resolution 60/251][c]	November (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (EFS)	T	—	
131.	Committee on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families, eleventh session [General Assembly resolution 45/158][b]	November (1 week)	Geneva	10 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	Two sessions per year
132.	United Nations Pledging Conference for Development Activities [General Assembly resolution 32/197][c]	November (1 day)	New York	195 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
133.	Commission on Narcotic Drugs, meeting of heads of national drug law enforcement agencies, Asia and the Pacific region, thirty-third session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1985/11 and 1988/15]	November	Bangkok	51 G	I (CEFR)	T	—	One session per year
134.	Human Rights Council, fifteenth session [General Assembly resolution 60/251][c]	November/ December (2-3 weeks)	Geneva	47 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	As required
135.	Commission on Narcotic Drugs, resumed fifty-second session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 9 (I) and 1991/39]	1-2 December	Vienna	53 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year

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136	Commission on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice, resumed eighteenth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1992/1]	3-4 December	Vienna	40 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
137.	Fourth meeting of the States parties to the International Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families [General Assembly resolution 57/218][b]	9 December	New York	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	One session every two years
138.	Subcommittee of Experts on the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals, eighteenth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1989/104 and 1999/65]	9-11 December	Geneva	23 G	I (CEFRS)	T	—	One or two sessions per year
139.	Human Rights Council, Working Group on Enforced and Involuntary Disappearances, eighty-ninth session [Economic and Social Council decision 2004/260 and General Assembly resolution 60/251][c]	December (2 weeks)	Geneva	5 E	I (AEFS)	T	—	
140.	Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, pre-sessional working group, forty-fourth session [Economic and Social Council resolutions 1982/33, 1985/17 and 1995/39]	December (1 week)	Geneva	5 E	I (EFRS)	T	—	Two sessions per year
141.	UNU, Council, fifty-sixth session [General Assembly resolution 3081 (XXVIII)][c]	December (1 week)	Tokyo	28 E	I (EF)	T	—	One session per year
142.	Ad Hoc Committee of the General Assembly for the Announcement of Voluntary Contributions to the Programme of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees [General Assembly resolution 55/75][c]	December (1 meeting)	Geneva	195 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One meeting per year
143.	UNCTAD, Commission on Enterprise, Business Facilitation and Development [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167][c]	December	Geneva	[d]	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
144.	Committee of Permanent Representatives to UN-Habitat, thirty-fifth meeting [General Assembly resolution 56/206][c]	December	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Four meetings per year
145.	UNEP, Committee of Permanent Representatives, one hundred and ninth meeting [Governing Council decision 13/2]	December	Nairobi	58 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	Four meetings per year
146.	Commission on Narcotic Drugs, Subcommission on Illicit Drug Traffic and Related Matters in the Near and Middle East, forty-fourth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1776 (LIV)]	December	A capital in the region	23 G	I (AER)	T	—	One session per year
147.	UNCTAD, other commodity conferences and commodity meetings [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167][c]	As required (up to 30 meetings)	Geneva	[d]	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	As required

	Organ	Dates (2009)	Location	Membership	Servicing[a]			Periodicity
148.	UNCTAD, seminars and study groups [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167][c]	As required (up to 30 meetings)	Geneva	[d]	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	As required
149.	UNCTAD, consultations of the Secretary-General and of the President of the Trade and Development Board [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167][c]	As required (up to 30 meetings)	Geneva	[d]	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	As required
150.	UNCTAD, executive sessions of the Trade and Development Board [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167][c]	As required (3 days)	Geneva	[d]	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	As required
151.	UNDP and UNFPA, Executive Board, briefings and informal consultations [General Assembly resolutions 2020 (XX) and 48/162]	As required	New York	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	As required
152.	UNICEF, Executive Board, briefings and informal consultations [General Assembly resolutions 57 (I) and 48/162]	As required	New York	36 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	As required
153.	Economic and Social Council, formal/informal meetings [Charter and General Assembly resolutions 50/227 and 61/16]	As required	New York	54 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR[b]	As required
154.	ECE, committees and working groups [Economic and Social Council resolution 36 (IV)]	As required	Geneva	55 G	To be determined	T	—	As required
155.	Human Rights Council, working group on the review of mandates [General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council decision 1/104][c]	To be determined (20 days)	Geneva	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
156.	Human Rights Council, working group on the agenda, methods of work and rules of procedure [General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council resolution 3/4][c]	To be determined (10 days)	Geneva	47 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
157.	Human Rights Council, working group on the universal periodic review, second session [General Assembly resolution 60/251 and Human Rights Council decision 1/103][c]	To be determined (10 days)	Geneva	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
158.	Human Rights Council, ad hoc committee on the Elaboration of Complementary Standards in the field of Racism [Human Rights Council decision 3/103]	To be determined (10 days)	Geneva	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
159.	Human Rights Council, Subcommission on the Promotion and Protection of Human Rights, Working Group on Minorities, fifteenth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1998/246 and General Assembly resolution 60/251][c]	To be determined (5 days)	Geneva	5 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
160.	Commission on Sustainable Development, organizational session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1997/63]	To be determined (1 day)	New York	53 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year

	Organ	Dates (2009)	Location	Membership	Servicing[a]			Periodicity
161.	Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations, organizational session [Economic and Social Council resolution 1996/31]	To be determined (1 day)	New York	19 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session per year
162.	United Nations Group of Experts on Geographical Names, twenty-fifth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 715 A (XXVII), 1314 (XLIV) and 2004/303]	To be determined	New York	80 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	One session every two years
163.	INSTRAW, Executive Board, sixth session [General Assembly resolution 59/260 and Economic and Social Council resolution 2003/57][f]	To be determined	New York	10 E	I (EFS)	T	—	One session per year
164.	Ad Hoc Open-ended Working Group on Informatics [Economic and Social Council decision 2006/35]	To be determined	New York	54 G	—	T	—	
165.	Ninth United Nations Regional Cartographic Conference for the Americas [Economic and Social Council decision 2001/232]	To be determined	New York	41 G	I (EFS)	T		One session every four years
166.	UNCTAD, Commission on Enterprise, Business Facilitation and Development, thirteenth session [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167][c]	To be determined	Geneva	[d]	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
167.	UNCTAD, Commission on Investment, Technology and Related Financial Issues, thirteenth session [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167][c]	To be determined	Geneva	[d]	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
168.	UNCTAD, Commission on Trade in Goods and Services, and Commodities, thirteenth session [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167][c]	To be determined	Geneva	[d]	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
169.	ECE, sixty-fourth session [Economic and Social Council resolution 36 (IV)]	To be determined	Geneva	55 G	I (EFR)	T	—	One session per year
170.	Human Rights Council acting as the Preparatory Committee for the Review Conference on the implementation of the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action, third session [Human Rights Council resolution 3/2][c]	To be determined	Geneva	192 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	—	
171.	Committee on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities [General Assembly resolution 61/106 and article 34 of the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities][b]	To be determined	Geneva	12 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	
172.	Committee on Enforced Disappearances [General Assembly resolution 61/177 and article 26 of the International Convention for the Protection of All Persons from Enforced Disappearances][b]	To be determined	Geneva	10 E	I (ACEFRS)	T	SR	

	Organ	Dates (2009)	Location	Membership	Servicing[a]		Periodicity
173.	UNCTAD, expert meeting of the Commission on Investment, Technology and Related Financial Issues [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167][c]	To be determined	Geneva	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T	—
174.	UNCTAD, expert meeting of the Commission on Enterprise, Business Facilitation and Development [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167][c]	To be determined	Geneva	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T	—
175.	UNCTAD, expert meeting of the Commission on Trade in Goods and Services, and Commodities [Trade and Development Board decision at its thirteenth executive session (8 July 1996) and General Assembly resolution 51/167][c]	To be determined	Geneva	To be determined	I (ACEFRS)	T	—
176.	Review Conference on the implementation of the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action [General Assembly resolution 61/149][c]	To be determined[j]	New York	192 G	I (ACEFRS)	T	PV
177.	Western Asia Regional Preparatory Meeting for the Twelfth United Nations Congress on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice [General Assembly resolution 46/152]	To be determined	To be determined	53 G	I (AEF)	T	—
178.	Latin America and the Caribbean Regional Preparatory Meeting for the Twelfth United Nations Congress on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice [General Assembly resolution 46/152]	To be determined	To be determined	53 G	I (AEF)	T	—

Notes to sections A and B

[a] The languages in which interpretation will be provided are indicated. Languages in which translation and meeting records will be provided vary according to the rules of procedure applicable to the body concerned and, in the case of some working groups and similar bodies, according to the actual requirements when these are less than would be provided under the rules of procedure.

[b] Treaty body.

[c] Subsidiary body of the General Assembly.

[d] Open to the participation of all interested States members of UNCTAD (UNCTAD resolution 80 (III), para. 9).

[e] To be re-evaluated in the context of deliberations of the Human Rights Council before 30 June 2007 in accordance with General Assembly resolution 60/251 and the relevant decisions of the Human Rights Council.

[f] Conference services are funded from outside the regular budget of the United Nations.

[g] Venue is subject to approval by the Council and the General Assembly.

[h] For plenary meetings only.

[i] Pursuant to paragraph 4 of General Assembly resolution 56/242, and as decided by the Assembly previously, United Nations intergovernmental bodies are requested to avoid holding meetings on Orthodox Good Friday, which falls on 25 April 2008 and 17 April 2009.

[j] Dates are to be decided by the General Assembly.

[k] To be convened after entry into force of the Convention.

C. Calendar of conferences and meetings of the principal organs of the specialized agencies and the International Atomic Energy Agency, 2008

	Organ	*Dates (2008)*	*Location*
1.	ICAO, Committee	14 January-1 February	Montreal
2.	UPU, Postal Operations Council	24 January-1 February	Berne
3.	WHO, Executive Board, one hundred twenty-second session	January	Geneva
4.	UPU, Council of Administration	4-8 February	Berne
5.	IFAD, Governing Council	11-15 February	Rome
6.	ICAO, Council	18 February-14 March	Montreal
7.	IAEA, Board of Governors	3-7 March	Vienna
8.	ILO, Governing Body and its committees	March	Geneva
9.	ICAO, Committee	14 April-2 May	Montreal
10.	IFAD, Executive Board	23-24 April	Rome
11.	UNESCO, Executive Board	April	Paris
12.	IAEA, Board of Governors, Programme and Budget Committee	5-9 May	Vienna
13.	UNIDO, Industrial Development Board, thirty-fourth session	13-16 May	Vienna
14.	ICAO, Council	20 May-13 June	Montreal
15.	WHO, World Health Assembly, sixty-first session	May	Geneva
16.	WHO, Executive Board, one hundred twenty-third session	May	Geneva
17.	ILO, General Conference	May/June	Geneva
18.	IAEA, Board of Governors	9-13 June	Vienna
19.	WMO, Executive Council, sixtieth session	17-27 June	Geneva
20.	ILO, Governing Body and its committees	June	Geneva
21.	FAO, Council	June	Rome
22.	IMO, Council	June	London
23.	UNWTO, Executive Council, eighty-third session	May/June	To be determined
24.	UPU, Congress, twenty-fourth	13 August-3 September	Nairobi
25.	UNIDO, Programme and Budget Committee, twenty-fourth session	1-5 September	Vienna
26.	IFAD, Executive Board	10-11 September	Rome
27.	IAEA, Board of Governors	22-26 September	Vienna
28.	IAEA, General Conference	29 September-3 October	Vienna
29.	WIPO, Assemblies of Member States	September/October	Geneva

	Organ	*Dates (2008)*	*Location*
30.	IAEA, Board of Governors	6 October	Vienna
31.	ICAO, Committee	6-24 October	Montreal
32.	World Bank Group and International Monetary Fund Boards of Governors, annual meetings	13 October	Washington, D.C.
33.	ILO, Governing Body and its committees	2-17 November	Geneva
34.	ICAO, Council	10 November-5 December	Montreal
35.	ITU, Council	12-21 November	Geneva
36.	FAO, Council	20-25 November	Rome
37.	IAEA, Board of Governors, Technical Assistance and Cooperation Committee	24-26 November	Vienna
38.	IAEA, Board of Governors	27-28 November	Vienna
39.	IMO, Council	November	London
40.	IMO, Assembly	November	London
41.	IMO, Council	November	London
42.	UNWTO, Executive Council, eighty-fourth session	October/November	To be determined
43.	FAO, Conference	November/December	Rome
44.	UNIDO, Industrial Development Board, thirty-fifth session	1-5 December	Vienna
45.	IFAD, Executive Board	17-18 December	Rome
46.	FAO, Council	December	Rome

D. Calendar of conferences and meetings of the principal organs of the specialized agencies and the International Atomic Energy Agency, 2009

	Organ	*Dates (2009)*	*Location*
1.	ICAO, Committee	12-30 January	Montreal
2.	UPU, Postal Operations Council	January/February	Berne
3.	WHO, Executive Board, one hundred twenty-fourth session	January	Geneva
4.	UPU, Council of Administration	February	Berne
5.	IFAD, Governing Council	February	Rome
6.	ICAO, Council	16 February-13 March	Montreal
7.	IAEA, Board of Governors	March	Vienna
8.	ILO, Governing Body and its committees	March	Geneva
9.	ICAO, Committee	13 April-1 May	Montreal
10.	IFAD, Executive Board	April	Rome
11.	UNESCO, Executive Board	April	Paris
12.	ICAO, Council	19 May-12 June	Montreal
13.	IAEA, Board of Governors, Programme and Budget Committee	May	Vienna
14.	UNIDO, Programme and Budget Committee, twenty-fifth session	May	Vienna
15.	WHO, World Health Assembly, sixty-second session	May	Geneva
16.	WHO, Executive Board, one hundred twenty-fifth session	May	Geneva
17.	WMO, Executive Council, sixty-first session	June	Geneva
18.	ILO, General Conference	June	Geneva
19.	FAO, Council	June	Rome
20.	UNIDO, Industrial Development Board, thirty-sixth session	June	Vienna
21.	ILO, Governing Body and its committees	June	Geneva
22.	IAEA, Board of Governors	June	Vienna
23.	IMO, Council	June	London
24.	UNWTO, Executive Council, eighty-fifth session	May/June	To be determined
25.	ITU, Council	15-25 September	Geneva
26.	IAEA, Board of Governors	September	Vienna
27.	IAEA, General Conference	September	Vienna
28.	IAEA, Board of Governors	September	Vienna
29.	IFAD, Executive Board	September	Rome

	Organ	*Dates (2009)*	*Location*
30.	WIPO, Assemblies of Member States	September/October	Geneva
31.	UNESCO, General Conference	September/October	Paris
32.	ICAO, Committee	5-23 October	Montreal
33.	World Bank and International Monetary Fund, Boards of Governors, annual meetings	6 October	Washington, D.C.
34.	UNESCO, Executive Board	October	Paris
35.	UNWTO, Executive Council, eighty-sixth session	October/November	To be determined
36.	UNWTO, Executive Council, eighty-seventh session	October/November	To be determined
37.	UNWTO, General Assembly, eighteenth session	October/November	To be determined
38.	ICAO, Council	9 November-4 December	Montreal
39.	FAO, Council	November	Rome
40.	FAO, Conference	November	Rome
41.	ILO, Governing Body and its committees	November	Geneva
42.	IAEA, Board of Governors, Technical Assistance and Cooperation Committee	November	Vienna
43.	IAEA, Board of Governors	November	Vienna
44.	IMO, Council	November	London
45.	IMO, Assembly	November	London
46.	IMO, Council	November	London
47.	UNIDO, General Conference, thirteenth session	November-December	Vienna
48.	FAO, Council	December	Rome